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Accompanied Mr. Houston in a meeting with Russ Blandford, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, General James Lawrence, Deputy Assistant to the Secretary (Legislative Affairs) DOD, and Maurice Lanman, Assistant General Counsel (Fiscal Matters) DOD, regarding the effect of recent amendments to the Military Procurement Authorization bill on certain Southeast Asian projects of concern to both DOD and the Agency. (See Mr. Houston's Memo for the Record for details.) I mentioned briefly to Blandford the latest information on surface-to-air missiles in the UAR, a probable Soviet naval installation in the UAR, and our latest assessment of the Soviet Swing-Wing bomber.
2. Received a call from Mary Devlin, in the office of Representative Keith Sebelius, requesting a professional brochure. A copy was put in the mail.
Hand-carried to the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy copies of Memorandum to Holders of NIE 13-8/1-69 Communist China's Strategic Weapons Program for the JCAE and the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee. I also briefed George Murphy, of the Committee staff, on Chinese preparations for another nuclear test. In response to his call of yesterday,
I left a message for J. G. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal
Security Subcommittee, that we have no identifiable

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